



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 6058**
Setsuo KAJIWARA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2004_0409
Serial No. 10/798,396 : Group Art Unit 1742
Filed March 12, 2004 : Examiner George Wyszomierski

ALLOY-BASED NANO-CRYSTAL
TEXTURE AND METHOD
OF PREPARING THE SAME : **Mail Stop Amendment**

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE
FEE FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.

This is responsive to the Office Action of May 26, 2006, constituting a requirement for restriction. A petition for a one month extension of time is submitted concurrently herewith.

The Examiner has required restriction between (I) claims 1-5, and (II) claims 6-7.

Applicants hereby elect claims 1-5.

This election is made while reserving Applicants' rights under 35 U.S.C. §121 to file a divisional application for the non-elected subject matter of claims 6-7.

Action on the merits is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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